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LICATION OF: Toshiaki TAKEZAWA, et al.

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FOR:

1636A CARRIER FOR CO-CULTURING A FERTILIZED OVUM OF AN ANIMAL AND METHOD OF CULTURING

A FERTILIZED OVUM OF AN ANIMAL USING THE CARRIER

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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**CARRIER** 

## AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

SIR:

In response to the Official Action mailed December 16, 2003, reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendment and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begins on page 2 of this response.

Support for the Amendment begins on page 8 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this response.

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